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In re Application of:	)	
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF AUGUST 10, 2006**

Sir:

Responsive to the office action of August 10, 2006, please amend the captioned application as follows.